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In Re Application of:

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TRANSMITTING SPEECH ACTIVITY
INFORMATION AHEAD OF SPEECH
FEATURES IN A DISTRIBUTED
VOICE RECOGNITION SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Attention: Examiner Michael N. Opsasnick

Dear Sir:

Applicant through his attorney respectfully requests that the three month shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action of **June 1, 2005**, due **September 1, 2005**, be extended two (2) month under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to **November 1, 2005**.

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